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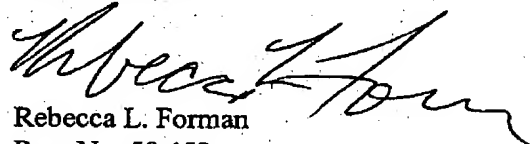
**REMARKS**

Claims 2-4, 7, and 10-11 remain in this application. Claims 5, 6, and 13-18 have been canceled.

The Examiner has acknowledged that claims 2-4, 7, and 10-11 are allowed. By canceling claims 5, 6, and 13-18, this application is in condition for allowance.

Therefore, Applicants respectfully request that a timely Notice of Allowance be issued in this case. Kindly charge any additional fees due, or credit overpayment of fees, to Deposit Account No. 50-0281.

Respectfully submitted,

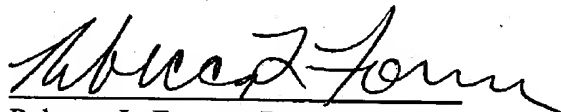


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